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VIDEO KOJIMA

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GAME APPARATUS AND STORAGE  
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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Official Action mailed November 13, 2000, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

CLEAN COPY OF AMENDED CLAIMS:

9. (Amended) A video game apparatus which displays on a display unit a character operated by a player and a scene image around said character, said apparatus comprising a scene image producing section which selectively produces one of a first scene image, a second scene image and a third scene image based on a position and motion of said character, and displays the produced one of said first, second and third scene images on said display unit, said first scene image subjectively viewed by said character while stopped in a movable state, said second scene

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